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LATEST NEWS OF THE WORLD BY TELEGRAPH AND CABLE. CONTINUED ON

W. F. MILLER AND THE FRANKLIN SYNDICATE COLLAPSE.

William F. Miller, the public head of the Franklin syndicate of Brooklyn, is under indictment for conspiracy to obtain money by fraudulent misrepresentations, a true bill having been found by the Kings county grand jury. With him was indicted Cecil Leslle, the press agent and general "promoter of information." Thousands of poor depositors, whose hope of getting 520 per cent dividends misled them, bewail their lot.

CAMPAIGN OF EVACUATION.

Rumors of a more or less alarmist naracter have for some time been

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plentiful around Havana. It is said, for instance, that this general or that is about to take to the woods, and it is apparently true that certain men are nursing programs hostile to the American administration. But the spread of the campaign of education is doing a great deal to offset the influence of such people, and in any event no trouble whatever is likely to occur until after Congress meets.

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It is a fact, however, that many Americans here believe that if nothing is done toward giving the Cubans some definite assurances, if not a precise date, regarding the independence of the island, there will be a rising of some sort, although opinions differ widely with regard to what it will amount to. Some believe that the malcontents would be practically bandits, easily controlled by a few troops. Others hold that the rising would be formidable and would call for a large American force.

HELP FROM AMERICA.

London, Nov. 27.—Sir Thomas Lipton, in view of the fact that his steam yacht Erin cannot be utilized by the Government as a hospital ship, has sent £10,000 to the Princess of Wales to be used

at her discretion, for the benefit the soldiers and sailors. The executive

FILIPINOS GIVE **UP ARTILLERY**

American and Spanish Prisoners Escape from Mangalaron.

SLIPPERY PERSONACE

Youngest Child of Aguinaldo Died and Was Burled to His Flight-Money, Rifles and Cannon Belong to Filipinos Fall Into the Hands of Americans-Young Still Pursning Aguinaldo.

(By Telegraph to Virginian-Pilot.)

Manila, Nov. 27.-11:30 a. m .- The insurgents have evacuated Mangalaron, province of Pangasinan, leaving seven American and ninety-four Spanish prisoners, who escaped in the confusion of Filipino retreat. The Americans are P. J. Green and George Powers, of the battleship Oregon; Thomas Edwards and Charles Bird, of the Sixteenth Infantry; Henry W. James, of the Twelfth Infantry; John Desmond, of the Signal Corps, and F. H. Huber, of Lowe's scouts. They report that two Americans, who were unable to escape, are with the insurgents. They are David Scott, of the Twenty-fourth Infantry, and William Sherby, of the Hospital Coros. Four deserters are with the Filipinos—Howard, Martin and Ford, of the Californians, and Watts, whose former regiment is unknown. Howard is the only one serving with the insurgents. He is a captain of artillery.

WANTS A FIGHT,

Colonel Bell, of the Thirty-fourth Volunteers, arrived at Mangalaren last
evening, after a hard march and fording the Agno. He found that Fowler's
company of the Thirty-third had occupied the town for two days, the insurgents, General Alejandrino commanding, retreating to the mountains
behind the town, short of food and ammunition. Beside this his men were
deserting and six cannon, which the inmunition. Beside this his men were deserting and six cannon, which the insurgents were dragging, impeded their march. Colonel Bell proposes to follow the Filipinos until he can bring about a decisive fight, or they are scattered. Mangalaren was strongly fortified with rifle plits commanding the roads, but the insurgents abandoned the place without firing a shot.

SPANISH PRISONERS APRIME

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Manlla, Nov. 27.—5:55 p. m.—Three hundred Spanish prisoners, who escaped from their captors before the American advance, including civil officials of rank, who have been in the hands of the Filipinos for more than a year, and many officers, have arrived at Manila during the past week. Francisco Reyes brought one hundred of them from General Wheaton. They were a mothley-apparelled and bearded company. Some were ill, and had to be were a mothley-apparelled and bearded company. Some were ill, and had to be carried from Tayug to San Fabian in army wagons. A delegation of these former prisoners have visited Major-General Otis in order to thank him for his hospitality, which included the furnishing of food and clothes. Senor Jamarillo, the Spanish commissioner, is making arrangements to send them to Spain en board of Spanish transports.

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Buencamino has been lodged in comfortable quarters at the police station with his family. Other persons are not allowed to communicate with him. He is classed as being the most slippery personage connected with the insurrection. He was a Colonel in the Spanish army and a traitor to Spain. At the time of the first insurrection he tried to sell out to the Filiphos and his present imprisonment excites no sympathy among his own people, while the Spaniards think it is mistaken leniency for the Americans to refrain from shootthe Americans to refrain from shoot-ing him on the Luneta, the fate dealt out to better men in the anti-Spanish

AGUINALDO'S BABY.

Aguinaldo's youngest ch'id, which was recently christened at Tarlac with great ceremony, died and was buried at Dayamban, in Aguinaldo's flight.

General Wheaton reports that natives have threatened violence to Aguinaldo's mother, who is now sheltered in a convent, with a guard. tered in a convent, with a guard. General Otis has ordered her brought

to Mannia for safety.
PRISONERS AND MONEY.
Washington, D. C., Nov. 27.—General
Otis to-day reports the situation in the
Philippines, in the following dispatch
to the War Department:

Manila, November 27. "Steamer from San Fabian yester day brought 115 Spanish prisoners \$75,000 insurgent government money day brought 115 Spanish prisoners, 475,000 insurgent government money, and other property captured by Lawton's troops near Tayug on 25th. Wheaton's troops, Fowler's company Thirty-third, drove enemy westward from Dangataren, a few miles southwest of Dagupan, captured five 3-inch muzzle-loading guns, 12 rifles, 12,000 rounds Maxim cartridges, 1,000 shrapnel, 600 pounds powder, and other property, also 94 Spanish and 7 American prisoners. Bell, with Thirty-sixth can prisoners. Bell, with Thirty-sixth Infantry, in pursuit, and will march down western Luzon coast.

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"Indications are two or three bodies insurgent troops, numbering probably five hundred or more men each, in mountains, west of railroad, can be readily handled by MacArthur; they have the bulk of the insurgent artillery, all of which will be captured unless buried. Young still in pursuit of Aguinnido, who is heading for Bangued, few miles east Vigan; Young, with cavelry and scouts, is followed by baltalion Thirty-third, and by balaance battalion Twenty-second; two battalions Tairty-third en route for Vigan by

military post road. Young's reception by inhabitants most enthusiastic; they give all aid possible. Aguinaldo has collected more than 1,000 of his troops at the north, probably most will desert him. Number small detachments insurgent troops throughout country north of Manila have been captured and inhabitants manifest gratitude for deliverance. Indications are that insurgent force south of Manila disintegrating and troops going to their homes. Reports from southern islands favorable; Zamboanga insurgents surrendered to our troops and no trouble anticipated."

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Later in the day the following dispatch was received from General Otis:
"Oregon landed marines at Vigan yesterday. Young's column at Nainogpacan, twenty miles north San Fernando, on 23d, from which point passed north into mountains, Troops will relieve marines at Vigan 29th. Bulk Spanish and American prisoners reported at Bangued, twenty miles cast Vigan. Wheaton, San Fabian, just reported at Bangued, twenty miles cast Vigan. Wheaton, San Fabian, just reports capture of 73 more riles; 1,100 dollars in money; also that he has been obliged to take mother and son of Aguinaldo under guard to Fabian to prevent their murder by natives. Natives in vicinity Bayombang, Nuestaviscaya, offering services to drive out insurgents and request arms. Report only four hundred insurgents there.

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Report from Zamboanga says insurents surrendered heavy artillery to Report from Zamboanga says insur-gents surrendered heavy artillery to navy, and since have surrendered to Nichols, commanding battation Twen-ty-third Infantry, one hundred seven-ty-nine rifles; one Nordenfeldt and four breech-loading cannons. Order re-stored in town and vicinity. About eighty Tagalos scattered in moun-tains.

ENGLAND SERVES NOTICE.

THAT WAR EXISTS IN SOUTH AFRICA.

(By Telegraph to Virginian-Pilot.)
Washington, D. C., Nov. 27.—The
British Ambassador, Lord Pauncefote, has informed the Secretary of State that in view of a doubt which appeared to exist whether Her Majesty's Government recognize that the hostilities now in course of progress in South Africa constitute a state of war between Great Britain and the two South African Republics, has been directed by the Marquis of Sallsbury to Inform the Secretary of State, as an act of courtesy, that the South African Republic and the Orange Free State having declared war against Her Majesty, the Queen, and having invaded the British coionies of the Cape and Natal, a state of war has actually existed since the 11th of October between England and the South African Republic and the Orange Free State.

This notice appears to be couched in similar terms to those addressed by the British Government to the Governments of Continental Europe. It will probably not materially affect the United States, except to enable the Government to deal vigorously with any persons who attempt to recruit in the United States for either of the that in view of a doubt which ap-

Government to deal vigorously with any persons who attempt to recruit in the United States for either of the parties to the war—Boer or British.

Nothing has been heard from Mr. Macrum recently, respecting the measure of success attending his efforts to care for the British interests in the two Dutch Republics which were confided to him.

JEFFERDS WHIPPED.

A BIG NEGRO PROVES THE BEST

(By Telegraph to Virginian-Pilot.) New York, Nov. 27.—The prize fight between Bob Armstrong, the colored heavy-weight boxer of Chicago, and Jim Jefferds, of California, which was slated to go 25 rounds before the Hercules Athletic Club to-night, ended abruptly in the third round. Both men went head foremost from a clinch over the ropes into a box at the ringside in the second round, and in the third Jefferds took another header from the effects of a right swing on the jaw. This took all the steam out of the big fellow, and when he regained his feet he was sent sprawling from a right swinging upper-cut in the vicinity of the belt. Jefferds rolled over in agony, and his seconds claimed a foul on the ground that he was hit below the belt. The referee decided that the blow landed between Bob Armstrong, the colored that he was hit below the belt. The referee decided that the blow landed fairly and gave his verdict in favor of Armstrong, after Jefferds had been counted out and carried to his corner by the seconds.

Richmond Gots a Cruiser

(By Telegraph to Virginian-Pilot.) Washington, D. C., Nov. 27.-Contracts for the six new 3,500-ton cruisers were awarded to-day at the Navy Department in accordance with the recommendations of the Board of Construction, one to each of the following firms: William R. Trigg, of Richmond; Lewis Nixon, of Elizabethport, N. J.; The Bath Iron Works, of Bath, Maine; The Union Iron Works, of San Francisco, Cal.; The Fore River Engine Company, of Braintree, Mass., and Neafle & Leavy, of Philadelphia. All the boats are to be constructed in accordance with the Destructed in accordance with the structed in accordance with the De partment's designs.

Convict Makes Spurious Coin.

(By Telegraph to Virginian-Pilot.) Montgomery, Ala., Nov. 27 .- An enter prising prisoner in the "walls" of the Alabama penitentlary at Wetumpka Ala., has been working overtime in making counterfelt money. The mould was made by taking an impression is wet plaster paris. The dollar pieces plaster paris. The dollar piece well made. The outfit was cap

Death of a Virginia Lady.

(By Telegraph to Virginian-Pilot.) Macon, Ga., Nov. 27 .- Mrs. Virginia Macon, Ga., Nov. 27.—Ars. Virginia Louisa Bartlett, mother of Congress-man Charles L. Bartlett, died here to-day at the age of 71 of heart failure. She had been sick for several months. Mrs. Bartlett's maiden name was Saunders, and her people came from Southampton, Va.

ATTACK PLANNED BOERS LOSE BY THE CUBANS

General Uprising "Against Ameri- A General Advance by the British cans Planned for Thanksgiving.

THE STORY DISCREDITED

ed if Nothing is Done Toward Giv. ing Cubans Independence.

(By Telegraph to Virginian-Pilot.)

Havana, Nov. 27.-Nothing is known at headquarters in this division, or in General Lee's, to justify the report, published in the United States and cabled back here, that a thousand armed Cuban insurgents have taken to the woods in the Province of Pinar del Rio, and that a general uprising against the Americans have been planned for Thanksgiving Day. Indeed, the story is absolutely discredited by the American authorities, who say it is impossible that anything of the kind should have happened or should be in prospect without knowledge of it coming to some army post.

Upon Colenzo Ordered

COMBINED ATTACK

All Over the Country Planned by the Another British Naval Contingent

(By Telegraph to Virginian-Pilot.)

London, Nov. 28 -4:30 a. m .- A fresh interruption in the East African cable service at this interesting moment has caused a cessation of war news. As the War Office has not received Lord Methuen's detailed list of casualties, nor is any information at hand regarding the whereabouts of the Ninth Lancers, who were sent in pursuit of the Boers from Gras Pan.

The Daily Mail says a private telegram announces that the Lancers are still scouting ahead of Methuen's advancing column, but as he announced yesterday that he was giving his mer a day's rest this is hardly possible.

was captured and several men are missing.

Dispatches from President Kruger and General Joubert found on a Boer prisoner said the Boer losses at Belmont were ten men killed and forty wounded It added, in order to reassure the Burghers that it had been deemed necessary to fall back on Warrenton.

A pigeon message from Colonels Hamilton and Duft at Ladysmith, undated, reports all well.

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Another naval contingent from the British first-class cruiser Terrible, with two 4.7-inch guns, started for the front

NAVAL LOSSES.

London, Nov. 27.—The commander-in-chief at the Cape has sent the Admiralty the additional list of casu-alties among the British naval brigade engaged at the batle of Gras Pan, as follows:
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"Midshipman Huddart, of the cruiser Doris, and ten sailors and marines killed; and 13 petty officers and sea-men and 76 non-commissioned officers and men of the marines wounded. Total casualties, 105.

THE QUEEN'S THANKS. The following message has been tele-graphed to the commander-in-chief at

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"The Queen desires you to convey to the naval brigade, who were present at the action at Gras Pan, Her Majesty's congratulations on their galiant conduct, and at the same time express the Queen's regret at the losses sustained by the brigade."

Dr. Jameson, the leader of the famous raid, has arrived in London from South Africa.

WHERE IS MILLER ?

(By Telegraph to Virginian-Pilot.)

New York, Nov. 27 .- Hubert G. Taylor, a lawyer, was appointed temporary receiver for the defunct Franklin Syn

country written by persons who said shey had been deceived by literature that had been sent broadcast by Miller and his employes. All wanted information as to the best way for them to recover their money. Some of the writters in their letters stated that they had deposited from \$200 to \$500. Other syndicates conducted along lines similar to the Franklin Syndicate are being investigated by the police and by the District Attorney of Kings county. All institutions conducted on the "blind pool" basis, which promise unusual profits, are under surveillance.

John G. Agnew, who says he is the manager of the Washington Syndicate at No. 81 Greenpoint avenue, Brooklyn, was taken into custody to-day by the Brooklyn police on a warrant charging Agnew with violating Section 600 of the penal code, which makes it a misdemeanor for a person to display a banker's sign-on his premises when he does not rate as such. Agnew also had printed on his bill-heads "private banker."

He was later identified as a person who four years ago was arrested for running policy shops in the Borough of Brooklyn. The indictment found against him is still pending. Bail was fixed at \$500. Agnew will have a hearing in Police Court to-morrow.

EN ROUTE TO MEXICO.

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 27.—William F. Miller, the New York promoter of

Warte, which regularly prints Boor communications, announced yesterday, before it could have been ascertained from British sources, that the naval brigade lost 100 men at Gras Pan and that the Ninth Lancers were captured. It is understood that the government yesterday decided to proceed immediately with the mobilization and embarkation of a sixth division of 10,000 men under a well known lieutenant general. day en route to Vera Cruz, Paul J. Mans, a Chicago no Paul J. Mans, a Chicaso newspaper man, who is visiting friends in this city, is quoted as having seen and talk-ed to Miller on an incoming Maple Leat train. Miller apparently took the first train southwest. No further trace of him has been secured. General Hildyard's achievements at Beacon Hill is beginning to be recor-nized as one of the best things the campaign has yet shown, as it has re-

A SERIOUS HITCH.

the tension of the situation in and has brought the relief of BRITISH-GERMAN SAMOAN AR RANGEMENT REJECTED,

(By Telegraph to Virginian-Pilot.)

Washington, D. C., Nov. 27.-The United States has declined to accept the agreement to the disposition of the Samoan Islands reached by Great Briculated in Europuean capitals recently of the development of a serious hitel in the negotiations. As a matter of fact, there is no serious hitch and threasons which influenced the State De reasons which influenced the State De-partment here in rejecting the British-German arrangement when it was sub-mitted for approval related enthely to minor matters, and touched rather upon the form than the substance of the ar-rangement. Having rejected the tenta-tive treaty submitted by the other two powers our government has in turn

Stronger than Ever.

TAMMANY IS FOR HIM

Sergeant Anthony,

(By Telegraph to Virginian-Pilot.)

New York, Nov. 27 .- Richard Croker, who is to sail for Europe to-morrow, was interview to-day at the Democratic Club. He said:

"I want to say before my departure for Europe that William J. Bryan will be the standard bearer of the Democratic party in the next national campaign. The fight will be made against trusts and imperialism and Mr. Bryan is the only man to lead such a fight Tammany Hall will give him its hearts lest support, you may rest assured of that. No running mate for Mr. Bryan has been selected yet. Several names have been under consideration, but riq decision has been arrived at.

lor, a lawyer, was appointed temporary receiver for the defunct Franklin Syndicate Bank to-day by Justice Smith, of the Supreme Court. The application was made by William O. Inglis, who stated that he held tweive shares in the company. According to Inglis the liabilities exceed \$200,000, the assets being about \$3,000 in eash in the hands of the police. Taylor was required to furnish a bond of \$15,000.

The hearing set for this afternoon in the case of Louis II. Miller, brother of the missing man, did not take place owing to the District Attorney not being rendy to proceed, and the matter was adjourned until Wednesday morning. Miller was released on \$1,000 ball.

Lawyer Robert Ammon, of Nassau street, Manhattan, did not call on District Attorney Steel to-day to enlighten him as to the whereabouts of his former client, William F. Miller. Steele says he is positive that Ammon does not know where Miller is and that he is as much in the dark regarding his hiding place as the police are.

The police officials have found no trace of the missing man. Letters poured in to-day from all parts of the country written by persons who said five had been deceived by literature that had been sent broadcust by Miller and his employes, All wanted information as to the best way for them to recover their money. Some of the writers in their letters stated that they had been the former of the missing man. Letters poured in the day from all parts of the country written by persons who said five had been deceived by literature that had been sent broadcust by Miller and his employes, All wanted information as to the best way for them to recover their money. Some of the writers in their letters stated that they had deceived the state of the Miller and his employes, all wanted information as to the best way for them to make the process and it was agreed to that the make the best way for the writers.

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The body will be transferred by an undertaker to the Marine Hospital. There it will be met and taken charge of by the United States Marines, as if the salior had died there. Father Chidwick cannot officiate at the funeral, on account of the rules of the Catholic Church, for forbid a church funeral for one who has committed suicide, but the Maine's chaplain has done all he can to give the brave marine a fitting burlal. Some form of service will be gone through with at the Marine Hospital.

pital.

Mr. Croker said that Tammany Hall would meet any bill in connection with the funeral.

MONEY FOR COTTON.

SEIZED BY U. S. TROOPS DURING LATE WAR.

(By Telegraph to Virginian-Pilot.) Columbia, S. C., Nov. 27.-Governor

Miles B. McSweeney to-day addressed a letter to the Governor of each Southern Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 27.—William F. Miller, the New York promoter of the Franklin Syndicate, for whom hundreds of detectives all over the country are on the lookout, is reported to have sent the transfer of the transfer State, asking for united effort to get ern people from whom cotton was seized by United States troops during

the war between the States.

The cotton was sold by the Collector of Customs at New York and the funds of Customs at New York and the funds piled in the United States Treasury. The United States Supreme Court has decided that the government has no right or title to these funds, which are held for the ultimate return to those entitled thereto. But these funds cannot be recovered except by Congressional action, as legis-lation is necessary before action can be brought against the soverigh govern-

brought against the sovereign government. By special legislation some brought against the sovereign govern-ment. By special legislation some few claims have been granted, but it is de-sired that Congress remove all re-straints so that lawful owners or heirs may be reimbursed. A Senate bill was introduced last year and was reported favorably by the Senate Committee on Claims, but was lost sight of in some Claims, but was lost sight of in some

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CLASSIFICATION OF NEWS.

BY DEPARTMENTS.

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Portsmouth News—Pages 10 and 11.
Berkley News—Page 11.
Markets—Page 12. Shipping—Page 9. Real Estate—Page 12.

Cape Town, Nov. 21.—Afternoon.—It is reported that General Methuen has captured Honey Nest Kloof, ten miles north of Gras Pan, and two million rounds of ammunition. ADVANCE UPON COLENZO. Estcourt, Sunday, Nov. 26.—The rall-road bridge at Frere, spanning a wide stream, has been destroyed by the Boers, who are reported to be retiring A general advance upon Colenzo has been ordered and a flying column has left here to intercept the Boer raiding parties.

A reliable messenger from Ladysmith A retiable messenger from Ladysmith says he gathered from the Boers that they had proposed a combined attack, all over the country, for to-day.

General Joubert is expected to stoutly dispute the passage of the Tugela river.

committee of the American Ladies' Hospital Ship Fund has received an anonymous gift of £5,000 from the United States, together with a promise of as much more if it should be se of as much more if it should be needed.

Prosident Cancels Engagements
Washington, D. C., Nov. 27.—Out of respect to the memory of the late Vice-President Hobart the President has cancelled all his engagements for the present. The members of the Calinet has done likewise and the administration will observe a period of mourning.

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HILDYARD'S LOSSES.

Durban. Natal, Nov. 25.—The latest reports of General Hildyard's losses at the Beacon Hill engagement show that the members of the Calinet has a single dispute the passage of the Tugela river.

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Indeed, the greatest anxiety is felt,

and more especially in view of the fact that a Berlin journal, the Deutsch Warte, which regularly prints Boe

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